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COUNCIL OF MINISTERS DISCUSSION OF STEEL

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1. "LE MONDE" OF NOVEMBER 25, 1977 AND "LES ECHOS" OF NOVEMBER 24 REPORT FRENCH MINISTER OF INDUSTRY RENE MONORY'S REACTIONS TO THE NOVEMBER 21-22 EC COUNCIL OF MINISTER'S STEEL DISCUSSION. IN WHAT "LES ECHOS" TERMED "THE FRENCH ULTIMATUM", MONORY STATED THAT IF THE PROJECTS ACCEPTED AT THE MEETING WERE NOT IN EFFECT BY JANUARY 1, "WE WOULD BE TEMPTED TO TAKE UNILATERAL MEASURES AS IN THE TEXTILE SECTOR." WITH THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS' DECISIONS TERMED THE "LAST HOPE", MONORY SAID THAT "WE WILL NOT RETREAT" FROM THE JANUARY 1 DEADLINE.

2. COMMENT: MINISTER MONORY'S REACTION IS IN KEEPING
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WITH THE CONTINUING FRENCH EFFORT TO KEEP PRESSURE ON THE COMMISSION TO TAKE ACTIONS WHICH THE FRENCH SEE AS NECESSARY TO PROTECT THEIR STEEL INDUSTRY. MONORY NOTED THAT IT WAS "VERY SURPRISING" THAT AGREEMENT WAS UNANIMOUS. HE ATTRIBUTED THIS TO THE FACT THAT WEST GERMANY, TRADITIONALLY OPPOSED TO PROTECTIONIST MEASURES, REVERSED ITS POSITION IN LIGHT OF GERMAN

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